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In re U.S. patent application of :

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Serial No.: 10/576,594 :

Filed: April 21, 2006 :

For: Water-Based Pigment Preparations

Transmittal of Declaration for Utility or Design  
Patent Application 37 CFR 1.63**Mall Stop:**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:


Submitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is the executed Declaration. The undersigned respectfully requests that this Declaration be made part of the application file.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge due (37 CFR 1.16(e)) in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 03-2060. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fee deficiency asserted to be paid, or which should have been paid herewith, or with any paper hereafter filed in this application and credit any fee overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2060.

Respectfully submitted,

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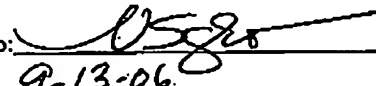
  
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Application No. 11/478,868

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**2. Documents Submitted Herewith**

- a. ☒ Executed Declaration of inventor(s)  
b. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:  
i. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
ii. Specification Sequence Listing on:  
(1) ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  
(2) ☐ Paper Copy  
iii. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies  
c. ☐ Verified English translation of application  
d. ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application  
e. ☐ Substitute Drawings  
f. ☐ Other:

**3. Application Filing Fee**

- a. ☒ No application filing fee due  
b. ☐ Application filing fee due in amount calculated below:

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| BASIC FEE (\$300 FILING FEE + \$200 EXAMINATION FEE + \$500 SEARCH FEE)                      |              |              |            | \$1,000.00 |
| CLAIMS   | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE       |            |
| Total Claims   | - 20 =       |              | x \$50.00  | \$         |
| Independent Claims   | - 3 =        |              | x \$200.00 | \$         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim(s) if applicable                           |              |              | + \$360.00 | \$         |
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**Fee Due \$130.00**

**5. Non-English Specification Surcharge**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

**Fee Due \$ 0.00**

**6. (Provisional only) Surcharge for Late Submission**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(g), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

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Application No. 11/478,8687. **Extension of Time**

- ☐ Applicant(s) petition(s) for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$120.00.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant(s) has/have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Fee Due \$ 0.00

8. **Total Fee Due**

The total fee due is:

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| Application Filing Fee                           | \$ 0.00  |
| Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge             | \$130.00 |
| Non-English Specification Surcharge              | \$ 0.00  |
| (Provisional only) Surcharge for Late Submission | \$ 0.00  |
| Extension of Time Fee                            | \$ 0.00  |


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10. **Fee Deficiency**

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